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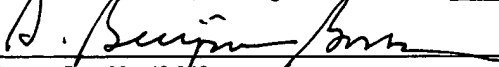
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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 **AMPLIFICATION OF ANALYTE DETECTION WITH PASSIVATED ENHANCING
STRUCTURES HAVING RECEPTORS**

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Respectfully submitted,

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